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This Amendment is being filed in response to the Office Action mailed from the United States Patent and Trademark Office on July 13, 2005, in the above-identified application. Reconsideration and further examination are requested.

Please amend the application as follows: